

**Proposed Mining and Reclamation Plan and  
Updated Surface Facilities Map**

Uintah County Asphalt Ridge Mine M/047/022  
Uintah County, Utah

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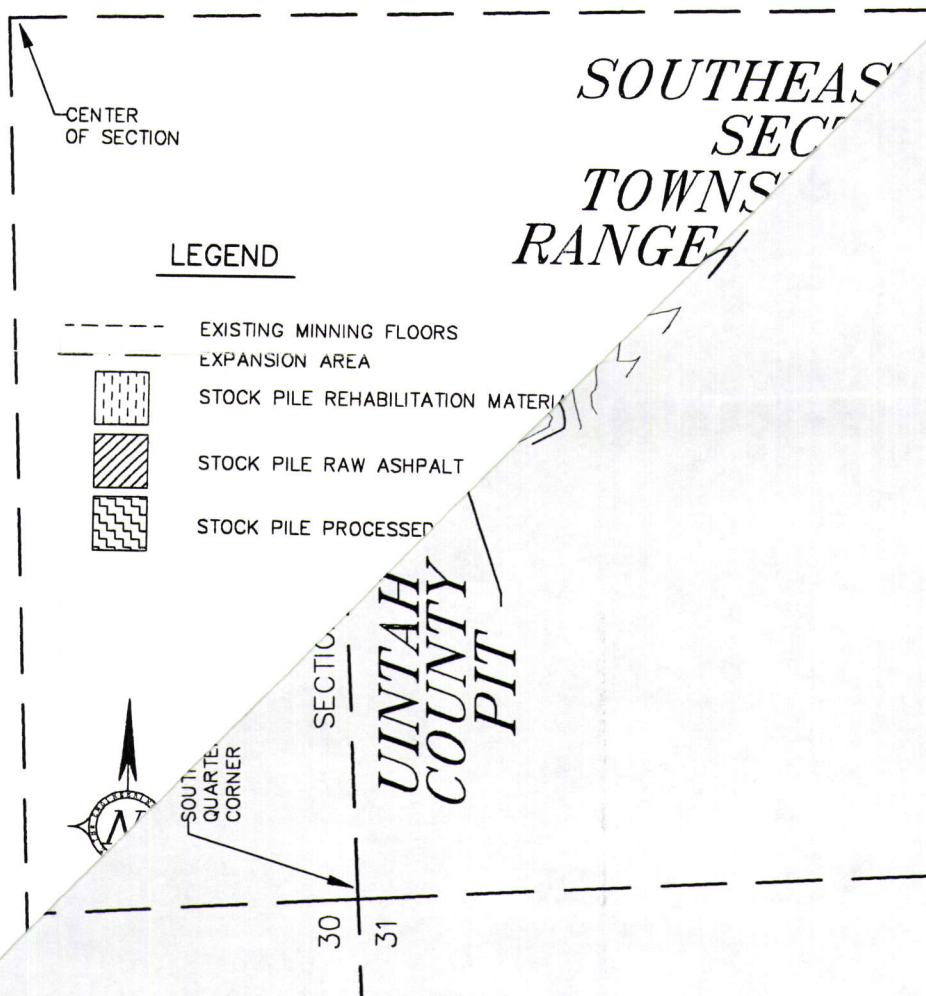
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**UINTAH COUNTY**  
**Mining And Reclamation Plan**

Southeast 1/4 of Section 30 and Northeast 1/4 of Section 31  
Township 4 South, Range 21 East, SLB&M  
Mine Permit #NOI M/047/022

Uintah County has a mining interest in the mining floor located in the center of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 30 and in the mining floor that is located on the south line of Section 30 (refer to attached drawing). It is the intent of Uintah County to continue mining southerly into the Northeast 1/4 of Section 31.

At the present time, Uintah County has a large stockpile of natural earthen materials located in the SE1/4 of the SE1/4 of Section 30. This material is to be used in reshaping and re-contouring the asphalt mine as the mining operation is completed. Uintah County proposes to reshape and re-contour the mine floor in Section 30 as they and Crown Asphalt complete the removal of the Native Tar Sand Asphalt. The reclamation will be a combined effort by Uintah County and Crown Asphalt.

As the mining operation is completed in the large mine floor located on the south section line of Section 30, Uintah County will begin rehabilitation and re-contouring of the mine area. As the floor is mined out, Uintah county will close the area and use the overburden from the mine expansion area located in the North east 1/4 of Section 31 for the rehabilitation. In the process of expansion into Section 31, the top soil will be removed and stock piled to be used in the final contouring of the rehabilitated floor. As the expansion area is opened up to Natural Tar Sand mining operation, the overburden will be removed from the south side of the mining floor and placed on the northern side of the completed floor area. After the area has been re-contoured and top soil replaced, it will be seeded with a mixture of native plants and grasses.

Uintah County will maintain the use of roads within Sections 30 and 31. As these roads no longer have a usefulness, they will be rehabilitated and new roads constructed for hauling within the mining area.

Any areas disturbed in Sections 30 and 31 after their rehabilitation, that are not a result of Uintah County's mining operation and for the benefit of Uintah County, shall be the responsibility of the entity creating the disturbance.



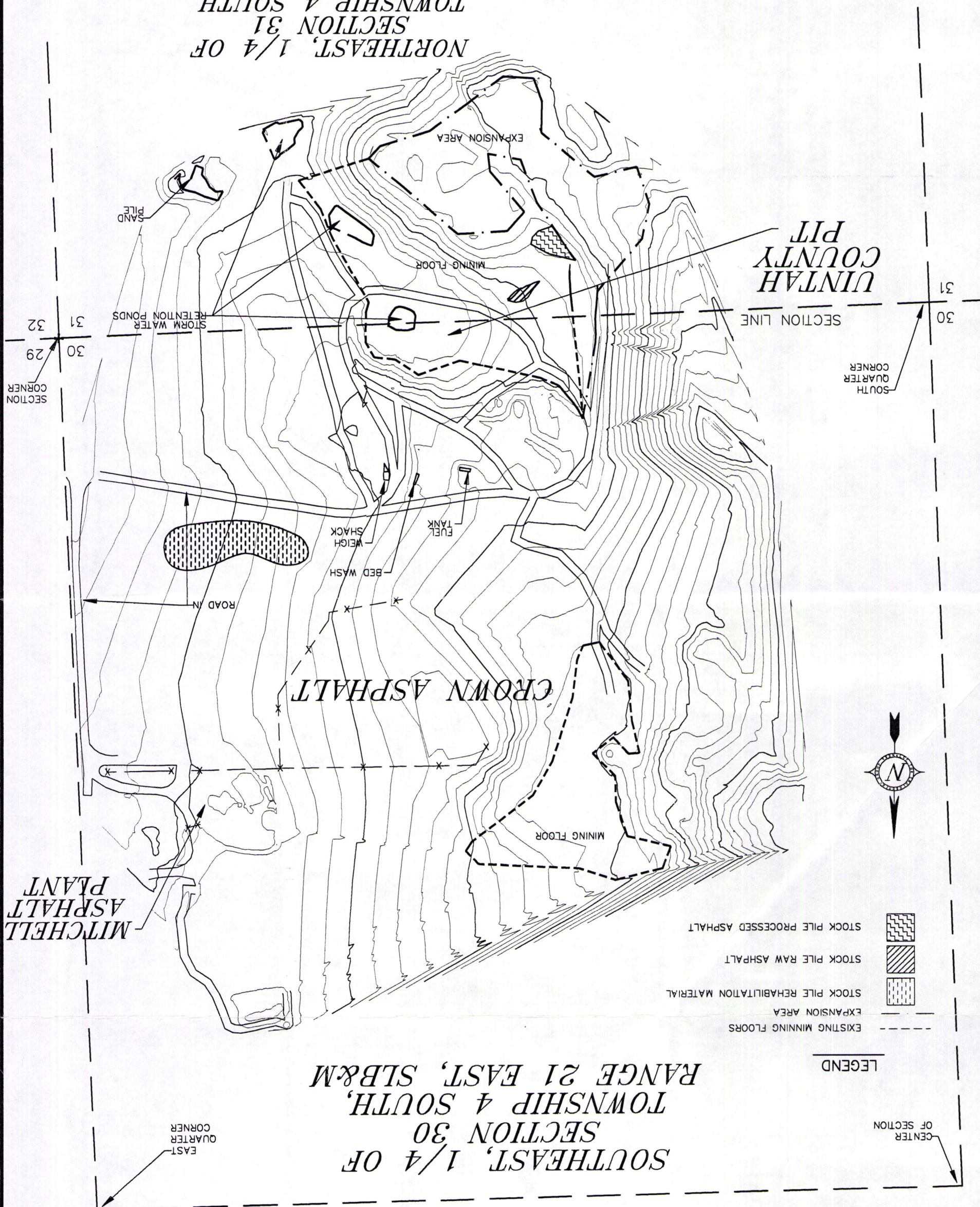


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NORTHEAST, 1/4 OF  
SECTION 31  
TOWNSHIP 4 SOUTH,  
RANGE 21 EAST, SLB&M



SOUTHEAST, 1/4 OF  
SECTION 30  
TOWNSHIP 4 SOUTH,  
RANGE 21 EAST, SLB&M

LEGEND

- EXISTING MINING FLOORS
- EXPANSION AREA
- STOCK PILE REHABILITATION MATERIAL
- STOCK PILE RAW ASPHALT
- STOCK PILE PROCESSED ASPHALT

SHEET NO. 1 COUNTY 1	UITNTAH COUNTY		FVA Preston Ostler Vernon & Associates, Inc. The Engineering Group		REVIEW			
	ASPHALT MINE		APPROVAL 11/99 TROY D. OSTLER, P.E.	DESIGN 11/99 CHECK 11/99	DATE			
	SECTION 30 & 31		APPROVED 11/99 LONNIE HOGAN	DRAWN 11/99 CHECK 11/99	DATE			
	PROJECT NUMBER		QUANT. 11/99 CHECK 11/99	DATE				
				NO. DATE DESIGN REV. BY DGB. BY PARCELS REQUEST BY		REMARKS		
				ORIGINAL SUBMISSION FOR AUTHORIZATION				
				DATE		REVISIONS		



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Quad: Vernal NE - UTM: 618791,4476780  
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